



SUPPLEMENTAL DECLARATION FOR PATENT APPLICATION

As a below named inventor, I hereby declare that:

My residence, post office address and citizenship are as stated below next to my name.

I believe I am an original, first and joint inventor of the subject matter which is claimed and for which a patent is sought on the invention entitled COMPOSITIONS AND METHODS FOR DETECTING SYPHILIS USING SYNTHETIC ANTIGENS, the specification of which was filed on December 5, 2001, as Application No. 10/009,698, with amendments through March 2, 2004.

I have reviewed and understand the contents of the above-identified specification, including the claims, as amended by any amendment referred to above.

I acknowledge the duty to disclose information which is material to patentability as defined in Title 37, Code of Federal Regulations, Section 1.56.

All statements made herein of my own knowledge are true and all statements made on information and belief are believed to be true; and further these statements were made with the knowledge that willful false statements and the like so made are punishable by fine or imprisonment, or both, under Section 1001 of Title 18 of the United States Code and that such willful false statements may jeopardize the validity of the application or any patent issued thereon.

Full Name of First Inventor: Victoria Pope, Ph.D.

Inventor's Signature

July 13, 2004
Date

Residence: Atlanta, GA

Citizenship: The United States of America

Post Office Address: Centers for Disease Control and Prevention
1600 Clifton Road MS D13
Atlanta, GA 30333

Full Name of Second Joint Inventor: Arnold R. Castro

Inventor's Signature

Arnold R Castro -

7/16/04
Date

Residence: Atlanta, GA

Citizenship: The United States of America

Post Office Address: 1600 Clifton Road MS D13
Atlanta, GA 30333

Full Name of Third Joint Inventor: William E. Morrill

Inventor's Signature

William E. Morrill

7/16/04
Date

Residence: Snellville, GA 30078

Citizenship: The United States of America

Post Office Address: 3015 Oak Meadow Drive
Snellville, GA 30078